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APPENDIX XI.

[Vide answer to clause (a) of unstarred question No. 157 asked by Sri K. Krishna Rao at the meeting of the Legislative Assembly held on 22nd July 1953, page 964 supra.]

The purposes for which and the days for which each of the four Calyx drills were used, are detailed below :—

Calyx Drill No. 1 (*M.* 3 *type*).—The drill was handed over to the Public Works Department on the 16th July 1948 for despatch to Somasila for work under the Krishna-Pennar Project. It was with the Public Works Department at Somasila till December 1949 when it got submerged in floods and was damaged. The drill after repairs in the Public Works Department Workshops was handed over to the Officer-in-charge, Lignite investigation, Neyveli, on 1st June 1951 and is still with him.

Calyx Drill No. 2 (*M.* 3 *type*).—This drill was handed over to the Officer-in-charge, Lignite investigation, Neyveli, on 23rd November 1948, and is still with him.

Calyx Drill No. 3 (M. 3 *type*).—The drill was loaned to the Public Works Department on 14th April 1949 to drill out cores at the site of the proposed Ramapadasagar Dam across the Godavari river for examination of the rock below the river-bed. It was received back from the Public Works Department on 29th August 1949 and was used for putting down a boring for the South Indian Railway at Tambaram till 12th January 1950. Subsequently the drill was used for the following works :—

Period of work.	Name of the party.	Purpose.
January to April 1950.	T. N Govindarajulu Naidu, Mylapore.	Water-supply.
May 1950	Repairs	..
June to September 1950.	Simpson's farm at Velacheri.	Agriculture.
October to December 1950.	Overhauling the engine and drill.	..
January to August 1951.	Transport to South Kanara and drilling for investigation of ceramic materials.	Industrial.

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Period of work.	Name of the party.	Purpose.
September to November 1951.	Due to rains in the West Coast the drill was moved to Coimbatore district for United Bleachers, Limited, Mettupalayam.	Water-supply.
December 1951 to October 1952.	Retransported to West Coast and continued China Clay Investigation at Kasaragod.	Industrial.

Calyx Drill No. 4 (*M.* 3 *type*).—The unit on receipt was assembled and deputed for work on 14th November 1950 to Sri G. D. Naidu, Coimbatore, for putting down borings to tap good supply of water. The drill was withdrawn on 22nd January 1953. The drill has since been allotted for taking up the work of prospecting china clay deposits in Nellore district.

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